# **TECHNICAL GUIDE**



Saturday 6th september 2025



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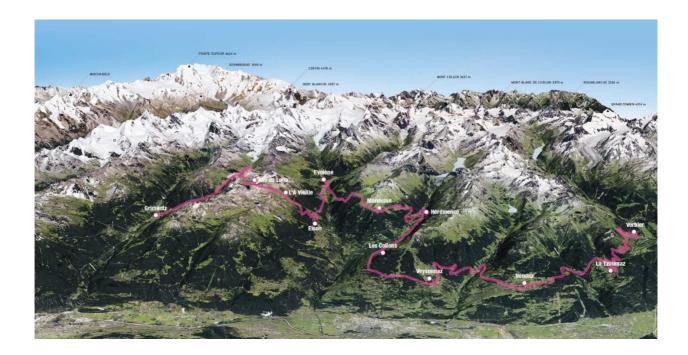
#### 1. Introduction

This document summarizes the information required by participants in the Mountain Bike Marathon World Championships taking place on the Grand Raid BCVS race.

#### 2. Prestation of the event

Grand Raid BCVS, Swiss Moutain Bike Race Marathon has been thrilling bikers since 1990. This marathon will take you from Verbier to Grimentz.

It is renowned as one of the most challenging mountain bike races in the world. Located in the heart of the Valais Alps, in an alpine playground, the route crosses various valleys, culminating in the Pas de Lona, at over 2,700m.



# 2.1 World Championships

The 2025 UCI Mountain Bike Marathon Wolrd Championships will take place in Valais, Switzerland.

#### Starting from Verbier to Grimentz.

#### SPECIAL GRAND RAID BCVS 2025 :

Elite riders will take part in the Grand Raid BCVS on the same day as amateurs.



The start in Verbier will be a few minutes earlier, so they will start earlier. They will therefore race on the same day with almost 1,500 participants.

Other riders will be also present at the smaller starts in Nendaz - Hérémence and Evolène, with one and unique finish in Grimentz.

#### 2.2 Programme

Day	Time	Programme
Thursday	13 :00 – 16 :00	UCI Course Inspection
04/09/2025		
Friday	8 :00 - 16 :00	Unofficial training
05/09/2025		All riders
	13 :00 – 16 :00	Riders confirmation UCI – Bibs number -
		SION
Saturday	06 :30 – 15 :30	Women Cross-country Marathon World
06/09/2025	Verbier to Grimentz	Championships
		Men Cross-country Marathon World
		Championships
	16 :30	Official Ceremony

#### 2.3 Categories

Men aged 19 and more over (from 2006 and before)

Women aged 19 and more over (from 2006 and before)

## 3. Registration

All registration are made via the UCI platform for each National Federation.

#### 4. Number bibs delivery

Number distribution will take place on Friday, the 5th September 5, 2025, from 13:00 to 19:00 in Sion.

Adress : Valais - 1950 Sion - Cour Roger Bonvin

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46.23015425126051, 7.374970485606279
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Please note that race numbers are not distributed at the same place as the start of the race. Sion is an hour's drive from Verbier.

# 5. Start schedule

START VERBIER	SATURDAY 6th SEPTEMBER
MEN	06:40
WOMEN	06:45

#### 6. Official Ceremony

GRIMENTZ	SATURDAY 6th SEPTEMBER
FINISH AERA	15:00

# 7.

## a. Profil & Course map with race stop



#### b. Profil TIME when the riders will be pass



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On the map – guidos

# 8. Technical Assistance Techzone

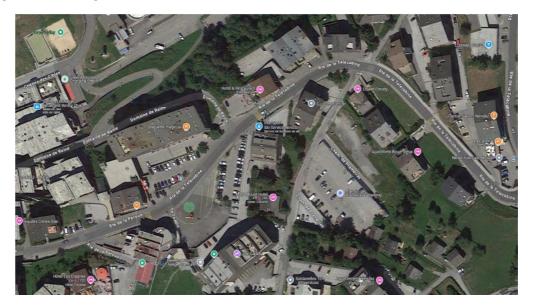
List and location of Technical zones

- No 1 : Haute Nendaz / KM 34
- No 2 : Veysonnaz / KM 46
- No 3 : Les Collons / KM 53
- No 4 : Hérémence / KM 58
- No 5 : Evolene / KM 87
- No 6 : Eison / KM 99
- No 7 : Moiry dam / KM 120

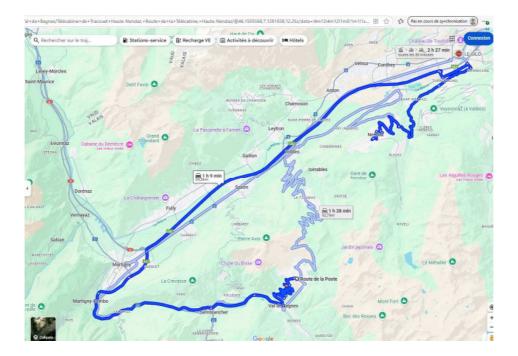
## Haute – Nendaz - KM 34

Haute-Nendaz télécabine : 46.1803186, 7.2917924

Parking Team : Parking next to the Restaurant Grenier



	By Car	Verbier – Haute- Nendaz	70 min	55 km
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# Veysonnaz – km 46

Rte de Magrappé : 46.1957604, 7.3445984

Parking Team UCI : Parking Chalet Royal - 46.195926322333925, 7.342215548555816



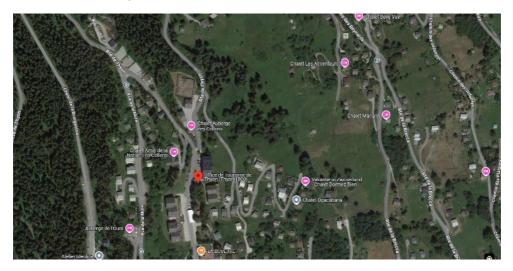
	By Car	Haute-Nendaz -	15 min	10 km
0-0		Veysonnaz		



#### Les Collons - KM 53 :

Rue des Collons : 46.1848392, 7.3860352

Parking Team UCI : Rte de Thyon - 46.187655116867056, 7.384674271163804





#### Hérémence - km 58

Rue de L'Eglise : 46.1813268, 7.4047218

Parking Team UCI : Communal official parking (don't cross the race) continued via Vex



	By Car	Les Collons -	20 min	14 km
0-0		Hérémence		



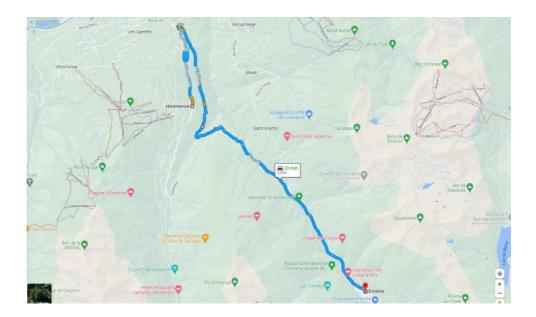
#### Evolène - Km 87

Rte de Lana : 46.1101123, 7,4990842

Parking Team UCI : between start of rte principale and shop COOP



	By Car	Hérémence - Evolène	20 min	20 km
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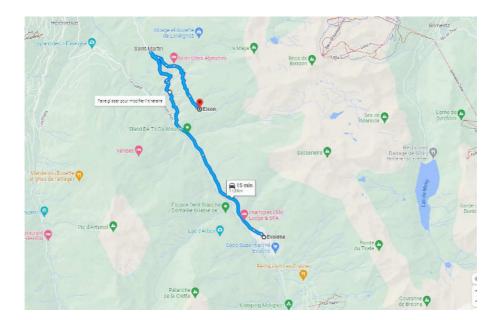
Eison – KM 99

La Combaz d'Eison : 46.1537105, 7.4667750

Parking Team UCI : Eison village entrance



By Car	Evolène - Eison	14km	20 min
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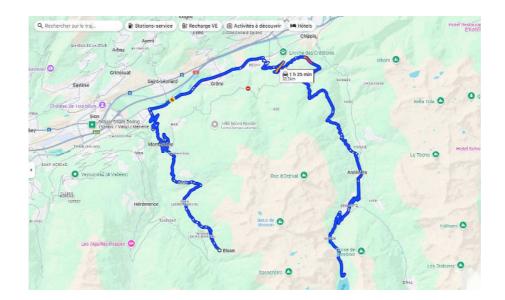
# Below the Moiry dam – KM 120

Barrage de Moiry : 46.1385671, 7.5701671

Parking Team UCI : on site



	By Car	Eison – Moiry dam	66 km	1h30
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# Parking Grimentz – Finish Aera

Parking Team UCI : Grimentz 46.1742919, 7.5732172



	By Car	Moiry dam - Grimentz	15 min	7 km
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# 9. Feed zone

It is strictly forbidden to have personal refreshments on the course outside the feed zones. There are no official exemptions on the course this year. Riders can use the refreshment points zones provided by the Grand Raid organisers.

Feed-zone site: <a href="https://grand-raid-bcvs.ch/verbier-grimentz-125km/">https://grand-raid-bcvs.ch/verbier-grimentz-125km/</a>

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